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OMAHA VISITORS TO ARRIVE TOMORROW

WILL COME IN SPECIAL TRAIN ON BURLINGTON

BRINGING FAMOUS BAND

Will Be Here at 4:30 o'Clock in Afternoon—to Be Met by Chamber of Commerce Delegation

A delegation of 150 business men of Omaha will arrive in Maryville at 4:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. They are bringing with them Desdunes Band, one of the best bands in the middle west.

Arrangements were made at the regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce last night for the entertainment of the Omaha delegation.

The Omaha men are traveling in a special train of eleven coaches. They will arrive at the Burlington station at 4:30 o'clock, and will be met by automobiles furnished by the Maryville Chamber of Commerce. From the time of their arrival until 6:00 o'clock p. m., the Omaha business men will visit the business houses of Maryville. At 7:30 o'clock the Desdunes band will give a popular concert in the courthouse yard. This will be followed by an address of welcome by Mayor Garrett, a short talk by President Lamkin of the State Teachers College, and a response by the Omaha delegation.

After this program the entire Omaha delegation will be the guests of the Elks Club. There will be dancing from 9:30 on. The music will be furnished by Desdunes band. It is hoped that all members of the Elks Club and their wives will be present.

It is hoped that all people of Maryville and the surrounding community will take advantage of the opportunity of hearing this wonderful band. The Mayor of Maryville will clear the streets in front of the court house, so that the honking and noise of automobiles will not spoil the music.

R. C. Juniors at St. Mary's Send Supplies

For School Purposes to Mission School at Topawa, Ariz.—Sent Out Yesterday

The members of the Junior Red Cross Auxiliary of the St. Mary's school have prepared a box of school supplies which was sent to the Roman Catholic Mission School at Topawa, Ariz. The box was sent out yesterday by Miss Margaret Louise Hosmer, chapter chairman of Junior Red Cross.

The box of school supplies contained books, magazines, erasers, stationery, marbles, and garden seeds. The spuplies were sent through the Division office at St. Louis to the Red Cross juniors at Topawa, Ariz. There are fifty-seven pupils in the St. Mary's parochial school that are enrolled in the Junior Red Cross Auxiliary.

State Income Tax Now Payable at City Hall

The state income tax books are now open and are payable at the city hall until the first of June, according to Mrs. Bess Thorp, collector for Polk township. Mrs. Thorp wil be at the city hall until that date for the collection of the state income taxes. A penalty of 1 per cent is added after June 1, if the tax is not paid before that date.

Civil War Veteran Is Visiting Here

John K. Walker of the Old Soldiers' Home of Orting, Wash., is visiting in Maryville with his old comrad and bunkmate during the civil war, Judge J. H. Sayler and Judge Sayler's children, Mrs. Clement Hahn and Mrs. Glenn H. Anderson. Mr. Walker is 80 years old and Judge Sayler is 77 years old. During the latter part of the civil war, Judge Sayler and Mr. Walker bunked together and since the war, they have corresponded and kept in touch with each other.

To Bankers Meeting

E. E. Williams left last evening for Kansas City to attend the meeting of the Bankers convention of Missouri.

Waggoner Guests Leave

Mr. and Mrs. William Jacobson of Smith Center, Kan., who motored to Maryville last Friday to visit their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waggoner, left this morning for their home.

To Take Delegation to Tarkio Next Tuesday

General Holiday to be Observed in Atchison County Metropolis on Account of Opening of Ball Season

George Sillers and Lawrence Schumacher are making arrangements to take a delegation from Maryville to Tarkio next Tuesday for the opening of the ball season there. A number of towns in this section of the state are expected to send delegations to Tarkio for this event.

A parade will be held in the morning and a general holiday will be observed in Tarkio on that day. The St. Joseph Chamber of Commerce is sending a delegation, together with a band. Mr. Sillers and Mr. Schumacher will take the delegation, representing the Automobile Club here as well as the Maryville Chamber of Commerce.

SCOTT K. SNIVELY GIVEN IVORY GAVEL

SPEAKER OF HOUSE IN WYOMING LEGISLATURE.

VISITS FRIENDS HERE

Resident of Nodaway County for Quarter of Century—Author of Bill to Establish Normal School.

Scott K. Snively, who lived in Nodaway County for a quarter of a century, is back today visiting with "home folks."

Mr. Snively came to this county in 1867 and was Representative in the Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh General Assemblies of Missouri. While in the Legislature, Mr. Snively introduced the first bill for an appropriation to establish a state normal school in Maryville. This was in 1874.

He also introduced a bill, which later became a law, restraining hogs from running at large.

Mr. Snively left Nodaway County in 1893 going from here to Sheridan, Wyo., and has lived there ever since. He has represented Sheridan County in the Wyoming Legislature for three terms, and in 1907 was elected Speaker of the House, and was presented with a gold and ivory gavel.

Mr. Snively has been commander of the G. A. R. post at Sheridan, Wyo., for the last twenty-eight years. During the Civil War, he served in Company K of the 126th Regiment, and wounded in the battle of Chancellorsville. He then enlisted in the 13th New York cavalry, and served one year and five months. During a hand-to-hand fight ,he was wounded in the liver, and his wound is said to be similar to that which proved fatal to the late President Garfield. This occasioned considerable comment throughout the country by a number of prominent physicians.

Mr. Snively was married last year to Mrs. Addie Cline of Blockton, Ia. and he has been living in Iowa for several months but still claims his residence at Sheridan, Wyo.

Mr. Snively was in Maryville about five years ago, he said this morning. He will be 79 years old in September, but looks much younger.

While in Maryville, Mr. Snively is staying at the Bainum Hotel, and he will be here several days.

Life Saving Classes to Be Organized Soon

Ed A. Kendall has been appointed by the Southwestern Division office of the American Red Cross, at St. Louis, as a Red Cross life saving examiner. It is expected that he will organize life saving classes for the local chapter in the city as soon as the swimming pool is opened up.

Kendall passed the life saving tests last summer and was given his certificate as a full fledged Red Cross life saver and instructor at that time

There are four classes of instruction and he gives six lessons for each class. The different courses are :beginners, swimmers, junior life saving test and senior life saving test.

Orders Express Rate Reduction on Produce

10 Per Cent Cut Effective on or Before June 21—Applies to Fruits, Vegetables, Butter and Eggs

Washington, May 20—A 10 per cent reduction in express rates on fruits, vegetables, butter and eggs, in carload shipments, was ordered today by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The reduction becomes effective on or before June 21.

HEADQUARTER OF METHODISM IS K. C.

IS ACTION TAKEN BY METHODIST CONFERENCE

SUBSTITUTES ST. LOUIS

Chinese Delegate Takes His Own Life — —1145 Memorials are to be Harvested Soon

The following letter to the Democrat-Forum is from Dr. C. C. James, pastor of the First M. E. Church, who is a delegate from this district to the General Methodist Church Conference at Springfield, Mass.:

Yes, even a General Conference has a harvest time. The sickles are sharpened. The crop of 1145 memorials are to be harvested before we adjourn and they are receiving reports on the memorial every day.

We had one very sad happening. A young chinese, 28 years old, suffering from an attack of melancholia, a couple of days ago, took his own life, by swallowing poison. He was a well trained man, with large plans still ahead. He was to have attended one of our universities and taken some post-graduate studies. He leaves a wife and two children in far away China. He did not seem able to comprehend distances, and because he had received no mail from home, his mind became haunted with the fact that he would never get back to the sunrise kingdom, and would die in this country. And in the stress of that attitude of mind, he died by his own hand. Bishop Barney, his General Superintendent, conducted his funeral, and his body started on a long journey to China. We called a resolution of sympathy to the so suddenly smitten widow and children. The General Conference this morning recommended that the funeral expenses incurred here and his travelling expenses and per diem be paid. The latter amount to his bereaved widow, and the expense of shipping the body back to China be defrayed by the General Conference treasurer.

We had another high point day in the matter of debate, when the Report on Episcopal Residences brought in their report. The matter of interest to you folks is the fact that St. Louis is removed as an Episcopal Residence and Kansas City is substituted in its place. And Wichita Kansas has also been thrown into the discard, and Kansas City becomes the headquarters of Methodism for Kansas, Oklahoma and Missouri.

The debate was very heavy on this question and spiced with much acidity, and passed by a vote of 411 for and 386 against, which you can readily see was a close vote. There was much feeling over the matter, and there is talk of reconsideration, I cannot say now what may be done.

Bishop Clair, a colored Bishop, is to be brought back from Liberia, and have charge of an area of negro Methodists with his residence to be Covington, Kentucky. He will include in his area, teh two colored Conferences in Missouri.

The next period for a meteoric shower of stars refulgent in their glory will be on the question of war and amusements. Come over all of you and hear the debate.

Tomorrow the pulpits of the city will be filled by Methodist preachers, and the afternoon will present a Sunday School demonstration in the court square when the Bishops and delegates will march at the head of a mass of Sunday School scholars, headed by the 58th U. S. Infantry band, every person is to carry a Bible in their hand. Come and bring your Bible.

I will write some more ere long unless you are weary, if so wire me at once.

If you want to hear the devotional services in the morning they are broadcast about 8:30 each morning, and the summary of the days business about 9:00 o'clock at night. If any of you hear it please let me know. Mail will reach me at Auditorium, care General Conference, Springfield, Mass. Mass.

C. C. JAMES.

Burlington Jct. Bank Files Attachment Suit

The Northwestern Bank of Missouri at Burlington Junction filed an attachment suit in Circuit Court yesterday afternoon against F. J. Liggett, The petition prays for judgment of $2,000, interest at 8 per cent, attorney's fees of $216 and costs.

Delegates Reaffirm Fundamental Faith

Sixty-Fourth General Assembly of Presbyterian Church Adopts Resolution to This Effect

San Antonio, Tex., May 20—Reaffirmation of the church's fundamental faith has resulted from the Modernist-Fundamentalist storm that has been raging among the delegates of the Sixty-fourth General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of the United States, here.

The declaration adopted declares merely that the General Assembly reaffirms its faith in the fundamentals of the Presbyterian Church as set forth in the confession of faith.

Elmer Cunningham Dies Today at Home

Had Been Ill for About Six Weeks—Arrangements for Funeral to Be Announced Later.

Elmer Cunningham, 40 years old, died about 10:30 o'clock this morning at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cunningham, 1012 East First street. He had been ill about six weeks. Arrangements for the funeral will be announced later. Surviving Mr. Cunningham are his parents, one sister, Mrs. H. N. Worley, and a brother, Eldon Cunningham of Kansas City. The latter is expected to arrive in Maryville tonight for the funeral.

Band Organized for Legion Picnic Friday

From advance indications there will be a large turn-out at the American Legion picnic at Bridgewater on Friday of this week. A band has been organized among the Legion members to furnish special music features during the picnic. The personnel of the band will be:

Henry Buhler, Albert Butherus, O. K. Bovard, Leon Cannon, Lawrence Schumacher, Loren Schnabel, Paul Basford and William S. Larson.

Mother's, Daughter's Program at Wilcox

Postponed Meeting Planned for Saturday Held Yesterday at the Methodist Church.

The postponed Mother's and Daughter's program was given last night at the Methodist Church in Wilcox. The affair was first planned for Saturday night but was postponed because of the inclement weather. The program opened with singing of "Sweet Hour of Prayer." The other numbers were:

Prayer, Mrs. S. J. Friend.

History of Mother's Day, Verna McGinness.

Reading, "Mother," Lois Margaret Thompson.

Piano solo, Pauline Thompson.

Vocal solo, "That Wonderful Mother of Mine," Helen Winnell.

Piano solo, "Mrs. Hiland Thompson.

Vocal solo, "Mother Machree," Pauline Hall.

After the program the daughters, who were the hostesses of the evening, served refreshments of sandwiches, fruit salad and angel food cake in the basement of the church. The dining room was attractively decorated with red and white carnations and potted plants. The affair was attended by about forty persons.

President Is Nearly Recovered From Cold

Meets With Cabinet This Morning, Receives Newspaper Men at Noon, Then Goes for Auto Ride

Washington, May 20 — President Coolidge was almost recovered today from the severe cold which has kept him indoors for several days.

He met with the cabinet this morning, received the newspaper correspondents at noon, and went for an automobile ride in the afternoon.

State Received 97 Bids for Road Work

Twenty-one Projects in Fifteen Counties are Included in Today's Letting by Highway Commission

Jefferson City, May 20—The State Highway Commission today received ninety-seven bids for the construction of twenty-one road projects in fifteen counties, estimated to cost approximately $700,000.

The low bids will be designated later and contracts for the construction of the projects will be approved by the highway commission.

Miss Virginia Low of Tarkio enrolled today for the summer term of the State Teachers College, and will be at home at Residence Hall, She attended the College last summer.

LOOKS TO EUROPE FOR BONUS MONEY

EFFORTS TO BE MADE TO COLLECT WAR DEBTS.

MUCH NEEDED BY 1944

Government Will Be Called Upon To Take Up Insurance—About 1 Billion in Bonds Mature

Washington, May 20.—Renewed efforts on the part of the United States government to collect some of the eleven billion dollars owed by European nations will be made in the near future, as a result of the passage of the soldier bonus legislation, it was stated authoritatively today.

Treasury officials today figured that Europe's unfunded debt to the United States will double itself in twenty years.

In 1944, the government will be called upon to take the burden of the veterans insurance policies, involving an outlay of some three billion dollars. At the same time, there will mature about a billion dollars in Liberty bonds.

Against this day of financial reckoning there must be piled a huge surplus and eyes of officials were turned hopefully today toward Europe.

Only three nations have funded their debts and put them on a basis of regular payments. They are Great Britain, Finland and Hungary. The French, Italian and Belgian debts constitute the bulk of unfunded indebtedness.

Nations that have funded their debts pay only 3 per cent. Those that have not pay 5 per cent.

Officials are hopeful that with the adoption of the Dawes report and the return of Europe to comparative stability, France, Italy and Belgium, the chief beneficiaries of the Dawes plan, will be able to make some move toward adjustment of their American obligations.

18 Receive Diplomas at Parnell Graduation

W. A. Blagg of Maryville Gives Class Address at Methodist Church Last Evening

Commencement exercises were held last evening at the Methodist Church in Parnell for the eighth grade graduates. W. A. Blagg of Maryville gave the address of the evening. Eighteen students were awarded diplomas by Supt. Leslie G. Somerville.

Those who received diplomas are: Goldie Broadbent, Hazel Sharp, Letha Harris, Lucile Herndon, Neola Beattie, Garland Bateman, Monroe Clutter, Willard Geisken, Wayne Thompson, Raymond Stiles, George Miller, LaVeta Myers, Frona Mitchell, Austin Miller, Benjamin Hawk, Wayne Sparks, Vesta Killam and Ruby Riley.

The program that was given at the church is as follows:

Prayer—the Rev. G. E. DeWitt.

Piano solo—Frona Mitchell.

Reading, "Penrod's Nervous Breakdown"—LaVeta Myers.

Class history—Hazel Sharp.

Reading, "Naughty Zell"—Golda Broadbent.

Reading, "The Change in Father"—Austin Miller.

Class address—W. A. Blagg.

Song, "Home-Going"—by class.

Presentation of diplomas by Supt. Somerville.

Fryer Giving Lecture Series at the College

Dr. C. P. Fryer, physician of the Nodaway County Health Department, delivered the first of a series of eight lectures this morning, to the Vitalized Agricultural Class in the Short Course at the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College.

This series of lectures will continue through the week, as has been the custom in the past to present to the teachers in this class during the last week of the course. The lectures deal with sanitation, health, proper school facilities such as lighting and lunches.

Colorado Visitors Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Masters and daughter, Gwendolyn, left this morning for their home in Willard, Colo., after a short visit with Mr. Masters' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Masters. Mrs. Masters, with her daughter, was summoned to Bedford, Ia., by the death of her mother and Mr. Masters joined them there Saturday night. They came to Maryville yesterday morning.

Advance World-Wide Prohibition Campaign

America's Experiment Against Drink is Called Success at Methodist Conference This Morning

Springfield, Mass., May 20—A world-wide prohibition campaign, featured by wide-spread propaganda in favor of all nations adopting America's experiment against drink, which is called a success, was recommended today by the district General Conference of the M. E. Church.

Establishment of a world service commission to have supervision over all the benevolent and educational work of the church, was also recommended by the conference.

BONUS MAY COST NEAR 4 BILLION

IS ESTIMATE OF THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

10,000 POLICIES A DAY

Will Be Handled by the U. S. Veterans' Bureau, Frank T. Hines, Director, Announced.

Washington, May 20.—The total cost of the bonus act is estimated at sums ranging from $2,125,000,000 to $4,000,000,000.

The lower figures are those of bonus advocates in Congress and the highest figures come from the treasury department, which opposed the bonus recently.

Washington, May 20—The United States Veterans Bureau is prepared to handle the soldier bonus policies at the rate of 10,000 a day, Frank T. Hines, director, announced today.

Similar forms of application for the soldier bonus will be used for all three services—army, navy and marine corps, it was announced.

Washington, May 20—It is estimated that 3, 038,283 veterans will be entitled to the insurance policies provided by the soldier bonus bill enacted into law yesterday when the senate passed the measure over President Coolidge's veto. Approximately 389,583 will be paid cash of $50 or less.

The bill also provides for payment to dependents of deceased veterans of the amount of adjusted service compensation to which they would have been entitled.

Adjusted service compensation is figured on the basis of $1 a day for home service and $1.25 a day for overseas service. The first sixty days cannot be counted. Also a maximum of 500 days would be allowed.

To Figure Policy.

All veterans up to and including the rank of captain in the army and marine corps and lieutenant in the navy are eligible for the bonus.

It is estimated that the average insurance policy would be valued at $962, while the maximum value of the policies would be about $1,900 for overseas service and $1,600 for home service.

The value of the policy would be the equivalent of the amount which the adjusted service credit plus 25 per cent would purchase at regular insurance prices based on 4 per cent interest compounded annually. To determine the latter computation, a table of factors has been compiled by experts. Multiplication of the proper factor by the amount of adjusted service compensation due the veteran, plus 25 per cent, would give the face value of the insurance certificate. Each certificate, of course, would vary according to the length of service of the veteran and his age at the date of issuance of the policy. The policies would be dated next Jan. 1.

The Table of Factors.

The table of factors follows:

Age	Factor	Age	Factor
20	2,545	34	2,509
21	2,544	35	2,504
22	2,542	36	2,498
23	2,540	37	2,492
24	2,539	38	2,485
25	2,537	39	2,478
26	2,535	40	2,470
27	2,532	41	2,460
28	2,530	42	2,450
29	2,527	43	2,439
30	2,524	44	2,426
31	2,521	45	2,413
32	2,513		

Application for the bonus may be made at any time before January 1, 1928, but the cash payments will not be distributed until after next March 1.

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FARM BLOC BILLS MUST PASS FIRST

NO ADJOURNMENT UNTIL AID IS GIVEN

INSURGENTS IN THREAT

Action on Muscle Shoals is Demanded by Southern Democrats—Three Principal Measures

Washington, May 20—Hopes for adjournment of Congress on June 7 as planned by administration leaders practically vanished today when Republican "insurgents" announced that they would not permit Congress to die without enacting farm and railroad legislation.

Southern Democrats also threatened to "hold Congress all summer" unless some disposition is made of the Muscle Shoals question.

Senator Brookhart, Republican of Iowa, spokesman of the insurgent group in the Senate in the absence of Senator LaFollette, Republican of Wisconsin, declared that administration leaders "might as well prepare now for a long hot summer in Washington unless they give preference to our farm and rail bills." He said sufficient votes had been pledged to carry out his program.

Three principal measures are on the calendar, which Brookhart said must be enacted upon before the group will permit adjournment.

These are McNary-Haugen 200 million dollar farm corporation bill, the Howell-Barkley bill abolishing the railroad labor board, and the repeal of the section providing rate making of the Esch-Cummins transportation law.

World Court Plans to Be Discussed Tonight

Several Senators Will Confer With President Coolidge Relative to Compromise Proposal.

Washington, May 20.—Members of the Senate foreign relations committee will confer with President Coolidge tonight on the World Court, it was announced at the White House today.

The Senators will be the President's dinner guests.

Several World Court plans are now pending in the Senate and an effort will be made to arrive at a compromise.

American Navy Has Fallen Below Ratio

Is Not Up to 5-5-3 Basis Established by Armament Limitations Conference, Senate Is Told.

Washington, May 20.—The American navy has fallen below the ratio of 5-5-3 established by the armament limitations conference for Great Britain, United States and Japan, it was admitted officially in the House today.

Railroad Official Dies Today at Kansas City

Kansas City, May 0.—C. B. Wildman, general superintendent of the Missouri Pacific railroad, died suddenly at his home here today. Wildman had been confined to his home for several weeks suffering from a complication of diseases. His sudden death was attributed by physicians to heart trouble.

Woods' Resignation Will Be Accepted

Washington, May 20 — President Coolidge has instructed Secretary Hughes to accept the resignation of Cyrus E. Woods, United States ambassador at Tokio, it was announced at the White House today.

Eighty Firemen Injured in New York Fires

Most of Them Overcome by Smoke—Old Coney Island Pier is Destroyed by Blaze

New York, May 20—Eighty firemen were injured, most of them overcome by smoke, in fighting two fires today.

One of the fires was on the battery water front and destroyed one of the oldest piers in the city, which is known as the old Coney Island pier.

J. L. Curry of Chicago came Saturday evening to visit relatives and friends for several weeks.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Mostly cloudy tonight and Wednesday; continued cool.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY.

ANNOUNCEMENT

To the Democratic Voters: I hereby announce myself for Sheriff of Nodaway County, subject to the Democratic Primary, August 5, 1924.

HARVE ENGLAND

GUESSING EARTHQUAKES.

Professor Caselli, described as one of Italy's most eminent students of seismic disturbances, has announced that he has perfected an instrument which will apprehend the approach of an earthquake by at least 15 minutes. He claims that he can prove his claims of the value of the device.

The professor advances the theory that earthquakes are caused by the influence of planets, and by so doing he comes dangerously near the equally perplexing matter of astronomy. Yet planets are known to exert an influence upon this sphere in the form of a pull [illegible], however small, may have some relation to earth tremors.

It is too early to laugh the claims away, but it can be hoped that Professor Caselli's observations will not be confined to Italy, where quakes are not uncommon by any means. If they are the fulfillment of his prophesies, even in numerous instances, would not be conclusive.

According to latest advices the sun seems not to have set on Sun Yat Sen.

Old man Poincare has been defeated in France but he comes of the material that may be down and yet not out.

Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, the erratic college professor drove the liquor wagon right up to the door of the national Republican convention and he will be a mightly unwelcome guest.

Mrs. Kate Morrow of Jefferson City seems to be getting a great deal of encouragement in her race for the Democratic nomination for secretary of state. Mrs. Morrow is secretary of the democratic state committee and is a highly capable woman. She has had many years of experience in public life and is well qualified to assume the duties of the office she seeks. Those who have observed the hearty interest and excellent work of the good women of Missouri in politics since they have come into suffrage will look very kindly upon the suggestion that the women should be represented upon the state ticket.

MONEY SPENT FOR INSURANCE IN MISSOURI DURING 1923

Showing the net premiums received in Missouri by the different classes of insurance companies licensed to do business in Missouri by the State of Missouri Insurance Department during 1923.

Domestic Fire Insurance Companies, $18,822,898.22.

Foreign Fire Insurance Companies, $4,734,699.23.

Mutual Fire Insurance Companies, $1,007,593.27.

Town Mutual Fire Insurance Companies, $89,908.27.

Reciprocal or Inter-Insurance Exchanges (all lines), $2,621,497.19.

Stock Casualty Companies, $14,835,081.92

Mutual Casualty Companies, $611,705.70.

Assessment Casualty Associations, $285,215.63.

Legal Reserve Life Insurance Companies $60,520,215.51.

Stipulated Premium Life Insurance Companies, $694,211.52.

Assessment Life Insurance Associations, $458,892.27.

Fraternal Beneficiary Societies, $7,044,233.59.

Total, $111,565,152.32.

The total premiums received in Missouri during 1923 is an increase of about 10 million dollars over the premiums received in 1922, which was $99,922,933.52.

The above figures are net premiums as reported for taxation, fire insurance companies deducting return premiums, life insurance companies deducting dividends allowed policyholders but retained by the company in payment of premium. The casualty companies show gross premiums and the Reciprocals showing net premiums. If the gross figures were shown throughout the total would be very materially increased.

Mrs. Hannah Ziegler and son, Orville, Mrs. George Houchens and daughters, Audrey, Verline and Catherine, Miss Dorothy Crawford, and Mr. and Mrs. Deshazer and daughter, all of Ravenwood were Maryville visitors yetserday.

Miss Alice Peters of Burlington Junction visited in Maryville today with Mrs. R. L. McDougal.

B. K. Lewis of Ravenwood was a Maryville visitor today.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Borrusch of Des Moines, Ia., were in Maryville today en route to Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Scott have returned from Leon, Ia., where they motored Sunday to visit the latter's parents.

BONUS MAY COST NEAR 4 BILLION

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Loans may be made on the policies up to 90 per cent of their current face value any time after two years from the date of issuance. Thus, on a $1,000 policy at the end of two years a loan of $87.93 could be made. On this same policy at the end of nineteen years a loan of $831.23 could be possible. The loan may be made at any national or state bank.

Service between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1919, may be counted in computing the adjusted service credit, although enlistment must have been made before Nov. 11, 1918.

Application blanks soon will be distributed throughout the country through service organizations and the postoffices. Although administration of the bill will center in the veterans' bureau the veteran will have to send his application to the war department, if his service was with the army, and to the navy department, if service was with the navy or marine corps. If the veteran served in both the army and navy the application should be sent to the department under which he last served.

Women who served as yeomen in the navy and marine corps also were included in the bill as eligible to receive its benefits.

The bill stipulates that no one shall be entitled to its benefits for service as a civilian officer or for membership in the reserve officers training corps or the student army training corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hartsough, Mrs. Fred Winnell and daughter, Helen, and C. C. Hainline of Wilcox were shopping in Maryvilel today.

Dale Bressler and his sister, Mrs. Lowrey of Grant City were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Hurley.

Miss Cecil Howard and Claude McKee motored to St. Joseph Sunday.

Mrs. James Weddle, Jr., and Miss Lora Stultz of Skidmore were Maryville visitors yesterday.

L. C. DYER FILES FOR CONGRESS TODAY

Jefferson City, May 20—Congressman L. C. Dyer of St. Louis today filed his declaration as a candidate for the Republican nomination to succeed himself in the twelfth district, in St. Louis.

Olwell School Closes

A picnic was given Saturday at Tunnelwood as a closing event of the school year at the Olwell school, of which Miss Nellie Hall was teacher. Marshmallows and weiners were roasted over a campfire and ice cream and cake were also served.

Used Kellogg's Bran 2 months—constipation gone after suffering 3 years

Three years of suffering with constipation. What happiness was his when Kellogg's Bran, cooked and krumbled, restored his health. But read his letter.

"Dear Sirs:

. . . this is what I think of your krumbled bran. I would not be without it for anything in the world. . . . for three years I used all kinds of medicines for constipation, and only got temporary relief. I was advised by a doctor to use Kellogg's Bran, and since I began using it I don't have to take pills or anything else. I have used it two months, and my constipation has left me. I feel better now than I have for three years."

(The original of this letter is on file at the Kellogg Company, Battle Creek, Mich.)

Kellogg's Bran brings results because it is ALL bran. You can't fight constipation with halfway measures—with brans which are only part bran. It takes ALL bran to be 100 per cent effective.

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Kellogg's Bran has a delicious nut-like flavor. Quite different from ordinary, unpalatable brans. You will like it as a cereal, sprinkled on other cereals, cooked with hot cereals, or in the recipes given on every package.

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Guests of Mrs. Emma DeMoss and daughter, Elizabeth, for 6 o'clock dinner Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hurley.

Finn Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Finn, living southwest of Maryville, entertained at a 1 o'clock dinner Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. John Stelter and daughter, Mary Louise, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wells and children, Eugene, Forrest, Margaret Marie and Geraldine.

Mrs. Gillam Hostess

Members of the American Association of University Women will hold their regular meeting tonight at the home of Mrs. Forrest Gillam. The assisting hostesses will be Miss Mae Corwin and Mrs. G. K. Arney.

Rilea Guests

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rilea had as their guests at 1 o'clock dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nissen and children of Shenandoah, Ia.

McMullin Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McMullin of Pickering entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. George Porterfield, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Cockayne and children, Catherine, Dale and Robert of Maryville, Miss Crystal Copeland and Jewell Birkenholz, both of Pickering.

Lauber Guests

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lauber, 512 South Hester street, for 12 o'clock dinner Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Len Swartz, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gregory and Jerald Schrader, all of St. Joseph.

1 O'Clock Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. James Middleton, 1108 East Halsey street, entertained with a dinner Sunday for Miss Opal Middleton, James Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hallowell and daughter, Louise, and Stanton Carter, all of St Joseph.

Picnic Supper

A party numbering ten enjoyed a picnic supper Sunday evening in the woods near Quitman. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waggoner and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. William Jacobson of Smith Center, Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Aley, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Aley, Miss Irene Duncan of Dearborn, and Mitchell Welling.

Entertains Bridge Club.

Mrs. M. L. Beattie was hostess at the meeting of the Tuesday Luncheon Club this afternoon at her home on West First street. Additional guests included Mrs. A. Neil Somerville of Kansas City and Miss de Quetteville of Norwich, Conn., who are visiting Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend.

Entertain St. Joseph Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rounds and daughter, Fay, entertained with 1 o'clock dinner Sunday. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. M. Turner and sons, Russell and Reese, and Mr. and Mrs. Felix Erck and baby son, all of St. Joseph.

Hostess at Dinner.

Mrs. Dora Eckert was hostess at a dinner Sunday at her home, 121 West Seventh street, having as her guests Mr. and Mrs. Arch Frank and daughter Eva Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Eckert and family.

Radio Concert.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sharr entertained with a radio concert Sunday at their home east of Pickering. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Latimer and family of Pickering and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Partridge and family of Bedison.

Bridge for Miss Welling

Miss Bess Mitchell of Skidmore will entertain with three tables of bridge tonight complimentary to Miss Alice Welling of Maryville, who is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Opal Welling. These guests have been invited: Mrs. Ethel Wells, Mrs. Maud Jordan, Mrs. J. C. Manning, Mrs. John Masters, Mrs. Roy Morgan, Mrs. C. E. Linville, Mrs. O. L. Meeker of Omaha, Mrs. Opal Welling, Misses Lettie Rodman, Dora Albright, and Margaret Norton.

Surprise Birthday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Tracy motored to Bedford, Ia., Sunday to be guests at a surprise dinner given in honor of the seventy-sixth birthday of Mr. Tracy's mother, Mrs. L. T. Tracy. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Tracy of Afton, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Tracy and family of Des Moines, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore and family of Clearfield, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Tracy and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Tracy and families of Bedford; and Mrs. M. M. Paxston of Maryville.

Entertains for Mrs. Bradley

Mrs. D. E. Hotchkin entertained at somerset this afternoon at her home on South Buchanan street, honoring Mr. Hotchkin's aunt, Mrs. Allen Bradley of Mason City, Ill. The games were played at four tables after which refreshments, in which a pink and white color scheme prevailed, were served. Sweet peas and spirea were used throughout the rooms. Assisting Mrs. Hotchkin in entertaining were her daughter, Mildred, Miss Ora Eckles and Miss Mary Edna Gwinn.

Entertain for Newlyweds.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiland Thompson gave a 1 o'clock dinner Sunday at their home, northwest of Maryville, in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Thompson, who were married on April 19. The after dinner hours were spent socially. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Misses Nellie and Crystal Hall, Gladys Thompson, Cleo Holt, and Wilbur Williams, Gilbert Neal, Vernon Robertson, Don Hall and the hosts.

Miss Sturm Hostess.

Miss Helen Dunkle, who will leave tomorrow to spend the summer in Galt, Mo., was the guest of honor at a dinner given at 6:30 o'clock last evening by Miss Lucile Sturm at her home on South Main street. Following the dinner there was a Dutch treat line party at the Empire Theater. The party included, besides the honoree and hostess, Misses Mildred New, Mayme Grems, Katherine Keplar, Ruth Bush, Laura Margaret Raines, Marie Chandler and Merea Williams.

Entertain at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Combs, living north of Maryville entertained the following relatives and friends at dinner Sunday: Mrs. Tena Combs and son, Jess of Maryville; Earl Stam and John and George Noble of Darlington, Albert Power, and Lee, Ona, Archie, Virgil, Bertha, Walter, Marie and Fern Combs A number of kodak pictures were taken during the afternoon.

Erickson Guests

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Erickson entertained at dinner Sunday for the former's sister and nieces, Mrs. George Russell of Cambridge, Neb., and Mrs. Trever Bullock and little daughter, Patsy, of Clarinda, Ia. Additional guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Erickson of Bolckow, Misses Leanore Demony and Blanche Erickson of St. Joseph, and Mabel Ruth Erickson.

Newton-Hansen.

Miss Edith Newton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Newton of Tina, Mo., and Lohman Hansen of Conception Junction were married at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon in St. Joseph by the Rev. O. W. Okerland. The couple will make their home on a farm west of Conception Junction. The bride has been teaching in the Tina schools and last summer was a student at the State Teachers College.

Surprise Mrs. Childress

A surprise dinner was given Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Childress, 812 West First street, to observe the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Childress. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Mathew O'Reilly and daughters, Mary Josephine and Leta of St. Joseph; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Young and daughter, Dorothy Ellen, Mrs. J. A. Weyer, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Chappell and children, Junior and Audrey, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Childress and son, Basil, Marion Weyer, Clarence Childress, Harold Childress, Frank Peace, Gladys Childress, Cabell Verl Childress, Robert Childress and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Childress.

Line Party for Miss Penny

The students of the Wilcox High School will give a line party tonight at the Dorothy Reeves tent show in honor of Miss Mary Penny, who will leave soon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Penny, for her new home in Colorado. The party will consist of Misses Mary Penny, Pauline Hall, Frances Shell, Ella Marjorie Shell, Clara McGinnis, Amanda Knisley, Bessie and Edna Morton, and Dale McGinnis, Milan Shell, Bunny Wyman and Harry Sloan. Prof. and Mrs. Eugene Rathbun will be the chaperones.

Visiting at Armstrong Home.

Mrs. Ray Wilfley, with her daughter, Naomi Elizabeth, of Steele City, Nebr., came Sunday night to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Armstrong. Her sister, Dr. Margaret Armstrong, who has been attending medical school at Ann Arbor, Mich., has been visiting her parents since last week. Her brother, Hugh Armstrong, who has been seriously ill at St. Francis hospital, is improving. Mrs. Wilfley and daughter will also visit Mr. Wilfley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Wilfley.

Mrs. Bennett to Alumni Banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McCoppin, their daughter, Mrs. Beulah Bennett and daughter, Virginia, will motor to Bolckow late this afternoon to visit relatives until tomorrow evening. Mrs. Bennett will attend the alumni banquet of the Bolckow High School to be held tonight.

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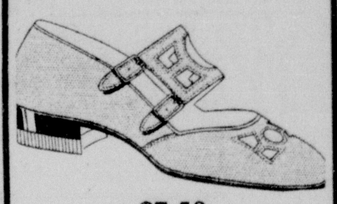

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Richelieu Brand Catsup, small bottle 15c; large	25c
No. 1 tall can Apricots in good syrup	13c
No. 1 tall can Yellow Free Peaches	13c
Gallon can Quality Brand Yellow Free Peaches	50c
Quart size can Acropolis Brand Hominy, 2 for	25c
No. 2 size can Pioneer Brand Pumpkin	10c
No. 10 Battleship size O-Cedar Polish Mop and 12 oz. bottle O-Cedar Polish	$1.75
No. 4 Triangle O-Cedar Polish Mop and 4 oz. bottle O-Cedar Polish	$1.25
3 pkgs. fresh Potato Chips	25c
2 lbs Sunmaid Seedless Raisins	25c
Tall jar Frontier Brand assorted flavors Preserves	15c
8⅓ lb sack Quisenberry Buttermilk Growing Mash	40c
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We have selected an unusual group of hats from our Spring assortment and arranged them for a special selling event. In the group are hats for matron, young women, youth and children. Hats in black and a variety of the Spring colors. Trimmings of feathers, flowers, embroidery and metallic ornaments. Various styles and shapes to choose from at only $2.95

A window display of the above specials is now being arranged, but they will not be offered for sale at the above prices until Thursday morning. This will give the out-of-town folks the same chance to get in on these special values that the Maryville folks have. Don't ask to have any of these items laid aside for you, we cannot do this, you must be here, or send someone to make your selections.

The True Story of Woodrow Wilson

BY DAVID LAWRENCE

CHAPTER XXV.

The Marriage of President Wilson to Mrs. Edith Galt and the Political Campaign of 1916.

The transition period in the life of Woodrow Wilson dates from the summer of 1914 when Mrs. Wilson died to the spring of 1915—the days of his acquaintance with Mrs. Norman Galt. Eight months of tomb-like seclusion in the White House changed the whole temper of the man. His moods in those months were so despondent that even the members of his family groped in vain for something that would lift him from the depression into which he had lanquished. Public business he transacted with the same earnestness but without zeal, without ambition, without inspiration.

Two daughters had been married, his wife was dead. All his old friends were away from Washington in other scenes. The President of the United States cannot make new friends as quickly as a private citizen. Mr. Wilson knew that if he drew to his side either the members of his Cabinet or Senators or Representatives they would surely talk to him about the problems of the day from which mentally at least, he was seeking to escape. Dr. Cary T. Grayson was almost constantly with Mr. Wilson. The companionship of Professor Stockton Axson, a brother of Mrs. Wilson, was also sought by the President. Private secretary Tumulty lived at the White House for several weeks while his family was away for the summer. Everything possible to divert Woodrow Wilson's mind from the sorrow which weighed upon him was done but his spirits never rose and the horizon seemed to grow darker and darker. At last Dr. Grayson whose diagnosis of Mr. Wilson's dilemma was not merely that of an attendant physician interested in maintaining the health of the nation's Chief Executive, but a man of breadth and understanding who knew that continued seclusion would dispirit the President and perhaps break down his health, suggested that the time had come for a musicale at which the President might hope to spend a social evening once in awhile. Guests were invited and among them was Mrs. Norman Galt, a charming widow. A short time previous Mrs. Galt had been introduced by Dr. Grayson as a walking companion for Miss Helen Woodrow Bones, a first cousin of President Wilson, who lived at the White House. Dr. Grayson was engaged at the time, and subsequently married Miss Alice Gertrude Gordon, whose mother had been an intimate friend of Mrs. Galt.

Everyone around the White House was early aware that a romance had begun. The eyes of a good many attendants are turned upon the President of the United States at all times and when he and Miss Bones rode home with Mrs. Galt in one of the White House automobiles there was an instant impression that Mr. Wilson's need for companionship had at last been fulfilled. The President's interest grow from day to day as he sent books to his new-found friend. Her modest little home on 20th Street became the almost daily destination of the President on his walks or rides. Miss Bones invited Mrs. Galt to accompany her one one of the cruises of the Mayflower from Washington to New York where the fleet was reviewed by the President. Later on during the summer months the home of Miss Cornish, New Hampshire, was opened again for the Wilson household and Miss Bones and Mrs. Galt went there to escape the heat of Washington. The President spent many weeks at Cornish during the summer of 1915 and when he returned in the autumn Washington generally had learned of his infatuation for Mrs. Galt.

Members of the Cabinet and people in official life began to wonder what would be the effect of the President's engagement on his political fortunes but no one had the temerity to advise Mr. Wilson on his personal affairs as it was recognized that the new mistress of the White House would be able later to wield both power and influence against anyone who might earn her distavor. Secretary Lane is credited with having remarked to some of his colleagues in the Cabinet that Mr. Wilson would lose his popularity if he remarried because the country had become intensely sympathetic with him in his lonliness. Secretary Tumulty with his keen vision of politics shared to some extent this view but he knew that the President was more interested in the woman he loved than in holding political office. There is abundant evidence that Mr. Wilson did not care as much about a second term as did the leaders of the Democratic party who wanted to see the administration continued in power and that Mr. Wilson would have easily swallowed his disappointment if he had failed of renomination or reelection. The truth is that his frame of mind was such that he did not enjoy public office and ardently hoped to be released from responsibility. He was a human being first and an executive machine second. As between a life of freedom and public office, there is no doubt that Mr. Wilson would have chosen the former if he had been able consistently to do so.

The months of Mr. Wilson's courtship of Mrs. Galt involved a let-up in his labors of previous years in the White House. He did not work as long at his desk. He found diversion in the animated conversations with his fiancee. In the inner circle of Washington rumors started that the President's desk was piled high with unattended business. There was a noticeable delay at one time in the dispatch of a note to Great Britain protesting against violation of neutral rights. Rumor had it that Mr. Wilson was not concentrating on the note but in this respect at least the reports were unfounded. Mr. Wilson chose to delay that note because a Cabinet crisis in Great Britain was beginning to develop and he did not wish to do anything that would add complications to Great Britain's internal political turmoil. Premier Asquith and Sir Edward Grey were at the helm. Mr. Wilson had for both of them at the time a warm admiration. Besides, Walter Hines Page, the American Ambassador had insisted in his letters to the President that the United States tone down its protestations to Great Britain.

Mr. Wilson finally sent the note—not by cable—but by messenger who carried special instructions to Ambassador Page. In the autumn of the year the controversy between the President and Ambassador Page reached a climax. One Sunday afternoon word came that Ambassador Page had resigned. The author who was at that time in charge of the news relating to American neutrality for the Associated Press at Washington sought to verify the report of Mr. Page's resignation but neither Secretary Tumulty nor any member of the Cabinet knew anything about it. The Associated Press had received a private cable from London but as usual did not print any news of this kind until verification could be obtained. The author, of course, did not know how long the secret would be kept fearing, of course, that competitors might obtain it and score a "beat" if it were disclosed. The President could not be reached—he had gone to the home of Mrs. Galt on 20th Street. Across the street, two secret service men lounged against a tree in an all day vigil. Neither one would carry a message into the house. The idea of disturbing the afternoon social call of the President of the United States was dismissed as absurd. The telephone operator at the White House switch board, through which a private line to the 20th Street home of Mrs. Galt had been conected, would not disturb the President. The author penned a note to the President telling him of the sensational developments and awaited outside hoping that somebody might emerge from the Galt home and carry a message inside. The President spent the afternoon and evening there. Finally Dr. Cary T. Grayson appeared on the scene and with his customary courtesy took the note and a few minutes later returned with the answer. "Mr. Page has not resigned."

For a long time this episode was unexplained because the man who sent the cable from London actually read a copy of the letter of resignation written by Mr. Page and knew of an exchange of cables between the President and Ambassador Page relative to the letter.

But Mr. Wilson did not accept the resignation—hence to his mind it was just as if Mr. Page had not offered to relinquish the post. And the President saw no reason at time to disturb the delicate situation which existed by revealing the friction he was having with the embassy at London. It is a fact, however, that Mr. Wilson did for a time consider accepting the resignation and offering the ambassadorship to Great Britain to Cleveland H. Dodge, his classmate at Princeton, who, however, did not care to undertake the mission.

Shortly after this incident, Mr. Wilson called in his private secretary and told him that he could announce the engagement of the President to Mrs. Norman Galt. Secretary Tumulty, still mindful of the political dangers of an early marriage, hoped the President might postpone the announcement believing that it should be deferred until after the 1916 campaign. But Mr. Wilson would not listen to it, and Secretary Tumulty like a faithful friend, promptly accepted the situation and loyally sought to set the stage for a favorable response by the press to the news he was about to disclose. For many hours he labored over the form of the announcement and the necessary data which would give to the newspapers the best impression possible of the romance and would completely sweep aside the criticisms by those who might be disappointed over the remarriage of the President fifteen months after the death of his first wife.

Mr. Tumulty talked with the newspaper men about the rise in the President's spirits and his general improvement in health together with the fact that all the members of the Wilson household, including the daughters, were fond of Mrs. Galt, all this had its effect and made the wedding pass without incident and without political ill-effect.

Mr. Wilson disinclination to postpone his engagement—he never for a moment considered it seriously—was convincing evidence of the strength of his affection for the fascinating widow. He cared nothing about the political phases of it—he was in love. Those who knew him best realized that it meant a prolongation of his life and an inspiration to do greater things. For he was the type of a man who had lived on feminine inspiration.

(Tomorrow's chapter tells why Wilson broke with Joseph P. Tumulty, his private secretary.).

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Return to Oklahoma

A. K. Nunnelly of Cyril, Okla., who has been visiting his brother, J. B. Nunnelly, and Mrs. Nunnelly, since Thursday, left yesterday morning for his home. He was accompanied home by his granddaughter, Miss Roxie Tarpley, who was graduated from the Maryville High School last week. Miss Tarpley has been staying at the Nunnelly home while attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. John Messbarger, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Cummins, Miss Celeste Holtom, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Cummins, and Mayme and Gerald Cummins, all of Burlington Junction, motored to Conception Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wise returned to Maryville Sunday evening from Birch Tree, Mo., where Mr. Wise has been teaching. They are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Benge.

Steele McIntire spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. McIntire in Burlington Junction.

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Kankakee, Illinois.—"My mother-in-law always took your medicine for weakness, and then in the Change of Life it did her so much good that she induced me to take it for a weakness I had for a year and a half. It has strengthened me and now I have a nice baby boy. I do all my own housework now, and I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound whenever I have the opportunity. I am taking it again for weakness, as my family doctor has recommended it for this purpose."—Mrs. HARRY COULOM, 934 N. Harrison Ave., Kankakee, Illinois.

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For the relief of female weakness, pains and backache, nervousness and irregularities, with other troubles common to women, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a dependable medicine.

Its worth is thoroughly established by such letters as the above. There are women everywhere, who, having received benefit, gladly tell other women about it. For sale by druggists everywhere.

Special Suit Sale ! ! !

Young Men's Spring Suits
A Special Purchase

Our buyer, while in Chicago last week, picked up some splendid values in young men's Suits, sizes 34 to 40, in Sport and plain models, made by first class makers—and we can give you the best prices we have offered in the last ten years.

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS in handsome Spring styles and patterns —2 pair trousers with each suit—

$22.50 $25 $30

A saving to you of $7.50 to $10 on each suit.

Do not fail to see these soon, as they will not last long at these prices.

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REMUS Merc. Co.

"The Store of Better Values"

A never changing policy of value has kept this store prominent during the last decade. Whether you want a suit, silk or cotton dress goods, or just a spool of thread, it is the policy of Remus-on-the-corner, to give you the utmost value possible for your money. It is that policy which has helped this store to grow from a small into a large department store.

We have recently rearranged and enlarged our shoe department, added new stock and secured the services of an expert shoe fitter. The famous Brown-Built Shoes for men, ladies and children in latest styles and shades—and Wunder Silk Hose to match.

Come in and get acquainted—you might like us.

REMUS'—The Store of Friendly Service.

TOWNSENDS MAIN AT FOURTH

In Our Wednesday Sale

You Will Find a Choice Selection of Tasty Food and Delicacies for Your Table.

FIG BARS, made of pure Smyrna Figs, Two pounds for..... **45c**
Fancy Dried Sweet Corn, per lb 25c
Full Cream Cheese, per lb 23c
Pound bricks Codfish for..15c
Crisco, all size cans, per lb 24c
Fresh Arkansas Strawberries, 2 quart boxes for..... 45c
15c Toy pails Bayles Quality Peanut Butter, 3 pails for 25c

We are still buying good sound home grown Potatoes for cash. Also can use any quality good shelled pop corn.

Gallon pails Amber Table Syrup 45c
Gallon Pails Crystal White Syrup 50c
Half gallon pails. 25c and 30c
48 lb sack Fancy Cream high Patent Flour $1.45
25c lb sack fine Granulated Sugar for $2.10

15c pkgs. Post Bran Flakes for 10c
10c pkgs. Kellogg's Bran Flakes for 7c

Nickel Plate Coffee, Master Quality, 3 lb cans..... $1.25
One pound cans..... 45c
5 lb carton Blue Ribbon Peaches (peeled) 75c
15c cartons Pearl Barley, Tapioca or Farina for... 10c
10c cartons Linit Starch for 8c
Ivory Soap Chips (bulk) 2 lbs for..... 25c
Creamo, a decidedly better article, lb pint for..... 25c
2 lbs for..... 48c
Sliced Bacon, good lean streaked, per lb..... 25c

12 lb sack finest Pastry Flour 60c

Fancy Country Gent Corn, No. 2 cans, 2 for..... 35c
Elgin Sugar Corn, per can 11c
Curtis Ripe Olives at bargain prices—
Tall cans 65 Olives, medium for 20c
Tall cans 50 Olives, fancy for 35c
Tall cans, 36 Olives, Jumbo, for 50c
Black Silk or Enameline Stove Polish, 15c cans. 10c
Kipper Snacks, 2 tins for 15c

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Count the words; send money with the order.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—the following legal forms may be had at The Democrat-Forum office: quit claim deed, house leases, deed of trust, chattel mortgage with power of sale, and general warranty deed.

FARMERS and all others who wish to come to the station for ice, attention! We have reduced the price to 60c Glover & Alexander. M6-J5

FOR SALE—ridge white oak poles, crib poles, barn poles and also some 1400 white oak posts. 1½ miles east of Pickering. Phone. George W. Neal M19tf

FOR SALE—Ford coupe in excellent condition, just completely overhauled. Seen Glenn Hornbuckle at the Democrat-Forum. tf

FOR SALE—My residence at 311 W. Third street. Inquire at the Real Estate Bank. Mrs. George B. Baker. 16-20-22

DEPENDABLE USED CARS—
1 1920 Dodge touring;
1 1918 Dodge touring;
1 1924 Ford sedan, brand new;
1 1921 Ford coupe;
Buick "4" touring, $50.
Dodge touring, $125.00.
1 1922 Ford touring.
Cash, terms, trade.
Arnold-Sillers Motor Co.
Dodge Brothers Sales and Service. 16-22

FOR SALE—white Spitz pups, $3.00 and $5.00. W. D. Williams. 17-20*

FOR SALE—good split burr oak fence posts. Jay Mutz, Farmers 44-13. 17-20*

FOR SALE—cash register in good condition, inquire at the Farmers Auto Supply Company. 20-22

MOTORISTS ATTENTION! Peerless Honeycomb Radiators, for 1917 to 1922 models, $13.50 complete with shell; for 1911 to 1916 models, $12.50 complete with shell, at the Farmers Auto Supply Company. 20-26

MISCELLANEOUS

WHEN you get ready to raise your house or move it, call on William Bliss. Will furnish blocks and put foundation under house. Farmers 139 Hanamo 3544. A25-M24*

WANTED—married man to work on farm. Bert Staples, Elmo. Phone thru Burlington Junction. 19-21

FOR RENT—Two rooms, men preferred. Call at 411 North Mulberry. 20-22

FOR RENT—Four unfurnished rooms in modern home. 1039 North Dewey St., Hanamo 6514. 20-22*

LOST—one male black and white fox-hound, 9 miles north of Maryville, Mo. Name and address on collar. Lloyd B. Heifner. 20tf.

FOR TRADE—mandolin for a violin. Inquire Hanamo 6688. 20-22

WANTED—women to paint lamp shades for us at home. Easy pleasant work. Whole or part time. Address Nileart Company, 4009, Ft. Wayne, Indiana. 20-26*

WANTED—girl for waitress with experience. Call at Candyland. 19-21

BRICK WORK

All kinds of brick and concrete work. Let me estimate your job.

GUY E. KISSINGER
207 S. Saunders. Hanamo 3706

Cut flowers and large blooming plants for every occasion. Spring budding plants and vines of all kinds for boxes, baskets and flower gardens at 10c each.

Vegetable Plants for everybody.

Visitors always welcome at

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Block south of hospital. Hanamo 374.

Chicken mites are pests and Genuine Blood Suckers. Carbolineum applied once a year will do the work. Sold and guaranteed by Holt Supply Co.

Mr. Owl

MOVING DAY.

Sherman never said that war was hell until he had to move from Atlanta to Savannah.

And most men today feel much the same way about the moving process, with its worry and oftentimes financial loss.

When the time for moving comes, Democrat-Forum Want Ads are the handiest of all handy men.

A Want Ad sells or rents a home, gets a fair price for household goods which can not be conveniently moved, or secures men to assist in packing and moving, if they are desired.

Men who specialize in crating furniture also often employ a Democrat-Forum Want Ad to get them work.

In general, Want Ads are to moving day what shock absorbers are to an auto—they relieve the jolts.

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"STOP THAT AD OF MINE PLEASE."

Why; that we do not have to ask; for we know that it is just another case of a D-F Want Ad USER getting a result from the first day's insertion. This happens every day!

To try it, is to be convinced; just call Hanamo 42, or Farmers 114.

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, May 20.—CATTLE — Receipts, 15,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 23,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000.

St. Louis, May 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 6,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 19,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,400.

Kansas City, May 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 13,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 12,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000.

St. Joseph, May 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,750; steady.
HOGS—Receipts, 5,600; top, $7.45; steady.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500.

Today's Market

Eggs, per dozen	19c
Cream	30c.
Cocks, per lb	8c
Hides, per lb	4c
Capons, per lb.	22c.
Hens, per lb	19c
Light hens, per lb	15c
Ducks and geese, per lb	12c
Turkeys, per lb	20c
Geese per lb	8c

Mrs. Anna Daniels and sons, Ernest and Harold, of Maryville, Mo., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Daniels, 2125 North Third street.—St. Joseph News-Press.

Mrs. George A. Nash and daughter, Alma, of Kansas City are here to attend the sixtieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Nash. Miss Alma Nash is director of the Alma Nash Schol of Fretted Instruments of Kansas City.—St. Joseph News-Press.

Mrs. Mary Thompson and daughter, Mildred, of Wilcox came to Maryville Friday to make their home with Mrs. Thompson's sister, Miss Albena Lornson.

MODERN ROOM for one to three girls, reasonable price. Farmers 149-15. 504 East Third. 19-21*

WANTED—Donation of the copies of 1923 American Magazine, also 1923 Ladies Home Journal. Maryville Public Library. 19-20

WANTED—Old false teeth. We pay high as $10 for full sets. Don't matter if broken. We buy crowns, bridges. Western Metal Company, Bloomington, Ill. 19-20*

SCIENTIFIC SMITHING. Shoeing to fit the horse and suit the owner. Wood, Plow work; Smithing, all kinds. Plow Lays, Lister Lays, Cultivator Shovels, sub soils, on hand at reasonable prices. Quick Service on repairing of all Farm Machinery. Repair Parts of all knds on hand. J. E. Stark Blacksmith 212 East Third, just southeast of Square. Maryville, Mo. Farmers 279. M12-J11.

WANTED—ladies in this locality to embroider linens for us at home during their leisure moments. Write at once "Fashion Embroideries," 1229, Lima, Ohio. 14-20*

WANTED TO BUY—some good clean rags, must be free from lint and buttons. Bring to this office M16tf.

Results Today.

American Association: Kansas City 6, Minneapolis 0, end of 3rd; Columbus 4, Toledo 0, end of 7th; Milwaukee 1, St. Paul 4, end of 4th.

Miss Lela Ulmer of Hopkins returned last night from East Prairie, Mo., where she taught Latin and English in the high school the last year.

Mrs. J. H. Adkins of Elmo visited in Maryville today.

APPETIZING GROCERIES AND CHOICE MEATS

add Zest to your meals! You'll find that kind of foodstuffs always at

Buhler's

Wednesday & Thursday Specials

White comb Honey, well filled frames, each 25c

1 lb pkgs. Old Loyalty Teas, special blend for icing. 40c

Quart jars Prepared Mustard 25c

Cucumbers, each 10c

3 lb wooden boxes Iten's Salted Crax 45c

Fresh Spinach, per lb 10c

Sun Kist Lemons, dozen .. 30c

Ben Hur Soap, basket special $1.35 value for $1.00

50 lb sacks Southard's Start to Finish Chick Feed $2.25

No. 3 cans Olemiss Brand Sweet Potatoes 10c

No. 2 can Standard Corn .. 10c

No. 2 cans Kamo Brand fancy Maine Corn 20c

No. 2 cans Kamo Brand fancy Midget Peas 30c

No. 2 cans Wisconsin Sweet variety Peas, 2 for 25c

Butter Nut Coffee, the coffee delicious, 1 lb, 3 lb and 10 lb pails at ..... 45c lb

Fresh Carrots, New Potatoes, Asparagus, Lettuce, Radishes, Strawberries, Pine Apples.

1 lb cartons Swift's, Morrell's or Mistle Toe Breakfast Bacon 40c

Pork Chops, per lb 25c

Boneless Pork Tenderloin, per lb 35c

2 lbs Fresh Spareribs 25c

Veal Steak or Cutlets, per lb 30c

Frankfurters, per lb 20c

Wafer sliced Dried Beef, per lb 60c

Prime Rib or Shoulder Beef Roast, lb 20c

Swift's Premium Bacon (4 to 6 lb pieces) by the piece, per lb 32c

Morrell's Iowa Pride Sugar Cured Hams, whole or half, lb 22c

WE SELL FOR CASH.
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QUALITY — SERVICE
118 East Third St.

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Send it to a Master
MASTER DYERS AND CLEANERS
WE DO IT THE BEST—
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SUPERIOR
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Free Call and Delivery.
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Mrs. Nettie Raines Beats Up a Teacher

Mrs. Lettie Raines, southwest of Elmo, was arrested this morning by Sheriff Steve Roach on a charge of assault and battery. The complaint was issued by Miss Jessie V. Bryant, teacher of the Salem school, near Elmo. Mrs. Raines gave bail for $200 for her appearance in circuit court here on May 22.

It is said Mrs. Raines beat and struck Miss Bryant in the school room last Friday. The trouble is said to have started on account of Miss Bryant whipping the young girl of Mrs. Raines.

Visiting at Cox Home

Mrs. J. L. Cox of Fortescue, Mo., and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Beaver of Los Angeles, Cal., are spending a few days in Maryville with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cox. Mrs. Cox is a daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Cox of Maryville.

Return from Liberty

Ernest F. Daniels, manual training teacher and assistant coach of the Liberty High School, returned home yesterday noon and will enter the State Teachers College for the summer term. He was accompanied home by his mother, Mrs. Anna Daniels, and brother, Harold, who have been spending the winter in Liberty.

Denver Visitors.

Mrs. Lillian Stagner of Denver, Colo. came Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. P. R. Moore and Mr. Moore. After a week's stay here Mrs. Stagner will go to Atchison, Kan., to visit Mrs. Lee Gore, another sister.

Returns from Sioux City

Mrs. Irvin Bartram returned last night from Sioux City, Ia., where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. E. Stover, since last Friday.

J. T. Wells and E. C. Moberly, two prominent cattle breeders, and R. A. Kinnaird, county agent, left last evening for Des Moines, Ia., to attend a cattle sale near there today.

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT.

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

Doctor Baker

As it is known that I am in my office and Optical rooms in Maryville on each Friday, Saturday and Monday only, a great many ask me what I do on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Will say: I have a branch office at Albany, Tarkio, Fairfax and Rock Port. I visit each one every four weeks. This keeps me busy all the time, correcting the errors of vision and fitting eyes with glasses. I do nothing else. The practice of optometry is a profession, not a trade or a business, and stands on a par with surgery. I specialize in James Crooks, Kryptok and Punktal lenses. What are they? Crooks lenses eliminate all violet rays which injure the eyes; Kryptok is the invisible bi-focal. Punktal is a lens which will focus light from any point, from the edge to the center, while others will focus only from the center. My practice is large and justifies me in buying goods in large quantities direct from the manufacturers. I carry a large line of the latest and best frames.

All who are in need of glasses are invited to call on me, get their eyes correctly fitted. Southwest corner square Maryville, Mo.

DOCTOR BAKER.

Inspecting Bridges Over Drainage Ditch

Judges E. T. Bailey and Charles S. Armstrong of the county court went to Ravenwood today to confer with the drainage board of the Platte Valley drainage district and to make an inspection of some bridges over the new ditch. Judges Bailey and Armstrong were in Washington township yesterday inspecting bridges.

Baker Funeral at Trenton.

The body of Byron Baker, the 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Murl Baker of Guilford, Mo., who died in a Maryville hospital from meningitis, was brought to Trenton Monday and taken to the home of Mrs. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ridgeway on Ridgeway avenue. The funeral will be conducted by Rev. Hale Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the Ridgeway home. Burial will be at the Maple Grove cemetery.—Trenton Daily Republican.

A Correction

In an article in yesterday's paper about Mrs. George B. Baker buying two lots at the corner of Grand and Normal avenues, it should have been the property was purchased from M. L. Hopper.

H. D. Mitchell of Skidmore visited in Maryville today.

S.S.S. keeps away Pimples

THERE are thousands of women who wonder why their complexions do not improve in spite of all the face treatments they use. They should not continue to wonder. Eruptions come from blood impurities and a lack of rich blood-cells. S.S.S. is acknowledged to be one of the most powerful, rapid and effective blood cleansers known. S.S.S. builds new blood-cells. This is why S. S. S. routs out of your system the impurities which cause boils, pimples, blackheads, acne, blotches, eczema, tetter, rash. S. S. S. is a remarkable flesh-builder. That's why underweight people can quickly build up their lost flesh, get back their normal weight, pink, plump cheeks, bright eyes, and "pep."

S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

S.S.S. The World's Best Blood Medicine

Hall's Catarrh Medicine is a Combined Treatment, both local and internal, and has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over forty years. Sold by all druggists.
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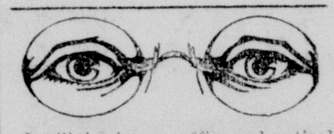
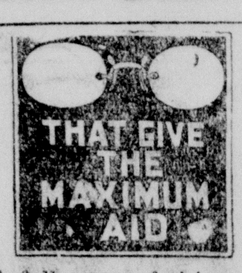


I will be in my office and optical rooms in Maryville, S. W. corner of Square every Friday Saturday and Monday only, as I specialize in optics; have the latest electrical instruments for testing eyes; keep up-to-date on the latest methods of refraction; do not fit glasses as a side line, on the three days named. Friday, Saturday and Monday of each week I can take care of every person in Nodaway County, who are in need of glasses.

Hanamo phone: office 498, Res. 4743.

Doctor Baker



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When the day's work is done, what is more refreshing than a long, cool drink of fresh water? Hard-worked horses enjoy it as much as we do. Red bottom tanks will economically and conveniently keep it always ready for them.

Two styles—the round and the oblong with round ends. Made of high grade galvanized steel. Reinforced at top with patent Tube Top, at bottom with Double Lock Seam. Sides made doubly strong by 2 triple corrugations. Solder is sweat into all seams. Entire bottom and lower edge edge coated, inside and outside, with rust preventing paint made in our own laboratories. Applied by special heat process.

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COLUMBIAN STEEL TANK CO., Kansas City, Missouri
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O. S. LINCOLN, PICKERING, MO.

BEDISON ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Logan and daughter, Evelyn, visited in Maryville Sunday.

Marjean Alloway of Maryville is spending the week at the home of W. A. Logan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clester visited at the home of D. Reynolds Sunday.

Noah Thompson and wife spent Sunday with Ben Thompsons.

Mabel Louise Kidd visited with Delores Mozingo Sunday.

Sadie Thompson spent the week-end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wennel were Sunday visitors at the Walter Coulter home.

Elaine Archer entertained a few of her friends at her home in Bedison, Saturday afternoon, May 17 in honor of her sixth birthday anniversary. Various games were played and a picnic luncheon was served by Mrs. Archer. Those present were Mesdames Carl Swearingen, Walter Coulter, Lee Barsball, J. B. Bell and Miss Evelyn Logan, Mabel Louise Kidd, Mary Evelyn and Virginia Coulter, Gladys and Georgia Reynolds, Ilene and Lucile Wilmes, Helen, Evelyn and Jeanne Bell, Elaine Archer and Leland Thompson, Stanley, Junior and Marion Swearingen, Albert Reynolds, Frank Bell, Porter Roach, Wesley Anderson, Earl Bell, George Edward Bell, Charles Shaafer, Roy Allen and R. E. and Wayne Archer, Emmett Barsball and Joe Wallace, Jr.

Jessie Roach who is attending high school in Maryville spent the week end at home.

GRAHAM

Miss Lela Wessel left Thursday for New Market, Ia., to visit her sister a few days.

Sam Hutchinson shipped hogs to St. Joseph Friday.

Miss Lucy Black entertained her Sunday School class Wednesday evening with a leap year party. Lunch was served and about sixty present.

Announce Birth of Son

Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Russell of Barnard announce the birth of a son Sunday, May 18. The baby has been named Floyd Robert.

A MAN WHO BECAME FAMOUS

Doctor R. V. Pierce, whose picture appears above, was not only a successful physician but also a profound student of the medicinal qualities of Nature's remedies, roots and herbs, and by close observation of the methods used by the Indians, he discovered their great remedial qualities, especially for weaknesses of women, and after careful preparation succeeded in giving to the world a remedy which has been used by women with the best results for half a century. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is still in great demand, while many other so called "cure-alls" have come and gone. The reason for its phenomenal success is because of its absolute purity, and Dr. Pierce's high standing as an honored citizen of Buffalo is a guarantee of all that is claimed for the Favorite Prescription as a regulator for the ills peculiar to women.

Send 10c. for trial pkg. to Dr. Pierce's Invalids Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

Flowers for Memorial Day May 30th

If possible make your selections early. We reserve early orders at regular prices. There is satisfaction all around if your plants and flowers are just as desired for these special occasions. Set out plants now for the Beautification of your Home Surroundings. Plants set out early by June 15, do better. The largest and best stock of plants we have ever offered our spring trade, priced to sell.

"Say it with Flowers."
Alfred Engelmann, The Florist
1001 South Main St.
Phones 17

DIETING DID NO GOOD BUT KARNAK BRINGS HEALTH

After fourteen years of suffering, S. A. Vanderlinden, well known St. Joseph, Mo., merchant, 1216 S. 10th street, tells of his amazing recovery by means of the famous new medicine, Karnak.

"No matter how careful I was with my diet," says Mr. Vanderlinden, "I had such cramps and pains across the pit of my stomach it would just almost draw me double at times. Gas pressed around my heart until it fluttered like a leaf, and I was in such terrible condition I lost hundreds of dollars in time from my business.

"Nothing helped me until I got hold of Karnak, but this medicine has fixed me up so I can eat anything at any time I want to, and my digestion is perfect. Those cramps and pains are entirely gone, and I feel like a man made new. Everybody ought to know about Karnak, and anything I can do or say for the medicine is a pleasure."

Karnak is sold in Maryville exclusively by Maryville Drug Co.—Adv.

New Bus Line

From Tarkio to Maryville and Return Starts Monday, May 19.

Regular schedule—Leave Tarkio 11 a. m. Burlington Junction at noon. Arrive Maryville 1 p. m.

Leave Maryville 3:30 p. m. Burlington Junction 4:30 p. m. Arrive Tarkio 5:30 p. m.

$2.50 ONE WAY—$4.00 ROUND TRIP.

Sunday schedule—Leave Tarkio 3 p. m. Burlington Junction 4 p. m. Arive Maryville 5 p. m. Leave Maryville 6:30 p. m. Burlington Junction 7:30 p. m. Arrive Tarkio 8:30 p. m.

Subject to Change.

Linville Hotel, Headquarters in Maryville.

Maple Hotel, Burlington Junction.

Walnut Inn, Headquarters, Tarkio.

WOOLHETHER COMPANY, of Tarkio.

Lippman Hurls Losing Game for the Tigers

Cyrus Lippman pitched for the Missouri Tiger nine yesterday against the Kansas Aggies at Manhattan and was forced to concede victory to the Aggies in the tenth inning when the score stood 10 to 9. The Aggies tied the score in the ninth inning by scoring five runs and netted another in the tenth to win the struggle. The contest featured terrific swatting and a variety of errors.

Clarinda Golf Team Beats Corning Sunday

The Clarinda golf team won all possible points in the matches with Corning Sunday at Clarinda. The Clarinda team shot a total of twenty pars, thirty-eight bogies and 542 strokes, while the Corning team made a tally of ten pars, twenty-nine bogies and 593 strokes. Clarinda plays Hamburg tomorrow at Clarinda. Maryville will play Corning there next Sunday.

Miss Eckert to Clarinda High School

Miss Mildred Eckert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Eckert, has been elected to teach Latin in the Clarinda, Ia., High School next year. Miss Eckert taught in the high school at Stanberry last year and had been re-elected to teach there next year.

Stanley Fords Coming

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ford, with their son, Jack, of Gatun, Canal Zone, Panama, landed in New York Saturday and will motor from there to Maryville to visit their son, Stanley, Jr., and Mr. Ford's mother, Mrs. J. S. Ford. The former has been attending school in Maryville since last fall. They will also visit in Kansas City with Mrs. Ford's parents.

Dorothy Glenn to Chicago

Dorothy Glenn, daughter of Mrs. Edith Glenn, will leave tomorrow for Chicago, where she will visit her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cramp, for two months.

Parnell Graduation Is Held Friday Evening

The Rev. C. J. English of St. Joseph Delivers Commencement Address —Eighteen Students in Class.

The graduating exercises of the Parnell High School were held Friday night, May 16, in the auditorium of the new church.

The Rev. C. J. English of Brookfield, Mo., delivered the class address. The subject of his address was "Human Klondikes." It was an inspiring message and highly appreciated by the audience.

Special features of the evening's program aside from the regular class address and the musical numbers were the addresses of the valedictorian, Miss Gretchen Bishop, and the salutatorian, Miss Elma Miller, who was also president of the class.

The excellent showing made by these people together with the work of the other members of the class, class night, clearly and definitely prove that the Parnell boys and girls have done something during their four years of high school work besides play basketball; and all those attending the exercises can testify as to the validity of the above remark.

Aside from winning her way, to first honors among her many capable classmates, by constant, careful and persistent application to school work and personal conduct, Miss Gretchen Bishop has the additional honor of winning a scholarship offered by the Chillicothe Business College, Chillicothe, Mo.

Other special features of this 1924 graduating class were the inauguration of the custom of caps and gowns for graduation and the handing down of a cane, which is a symbol of the support, durability, and flexibility, all of which the school gives the people of any community.

The class consisted of eighteen members and is the largest class to graduate since Parnell has had a four year high school.

The play, "Professor Pep," staged by the Senior class under the direction of Superintendent Broadbent, was a decided success and well attended, and the school wishes to thank the people of the community for their support.

Film Actress Tells Why Girls Go Into Movies

Among the stock questions that a screen actress is called upon to answer at least once a day is: "Why do girls want to go into pictures?"

Lovely Corinne Griffith who is starred in the screen version of "The Common Law," shown at the Empire Theatre tonight, says that this is a very natural inclination and a difficult thing to suppress.

"Why did Lady Duff Gordon with all her millions, become a modiste?" asks Miss Griffith. "Why did Laura Jean Libbey write novels? Why did Helen Gould take up settlement work? Why does Neysa McMein paint pictures? Why is Blossom Seeley a dancer? Why is Eva Tanguay a singer. The answer my dear lady, is in all cases the same—because they couldn't help it.

"Everyone is born with a talent but not everyone is born with the urge to find that talent's proper outlet. Of course every girl at some time in her life, wants to be an actress. It is the girl who keeps on wanting who should make up her mind that nothing will stop her from achieving her heart's desire. As a matter of fact, she will be literally forced into acting.

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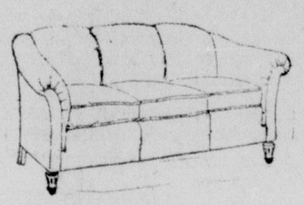

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